

ROTTNEST ISLAND REGULATIONS 1988

Temporary Notice to Mariners

Closure of Waters to Boating for Special Event

Thomson Bay, Rottnest Island

17 November 2023 to 19 November 2023

Acting pursuant to the powers conferred by regulation 38B of the Rottnest Island Authority Regulations 1988, the Rottnest Island Authority (RIA) hereby closes the following waters to all vessels, excluding bona fide emergency and authorised vessels:

Thomson Bay – Waters and Beach access

Between 8:00am on Friday 17 November 2023 and 8:00am on Sunday 19 November 2023.

All the waters within the following coordinates and east of the Army Groyne:

115° 32'59.8"E 32° 00'04.2"S

115° 33'05.7"E 31° 59'59.6"S

115° 33'14.7"E 31° 59'59.7"S

115° 33'14.5"E 32° 00'10"S

Beach closure from 120m east of the Army Groyne and extending for 280m further to the east

Authorised emergency service vessels and approved service vessels are permitted to access these waters.

Orange flag floats and inflatable buoys will be deployed to indicate the boundaries of the area and signage will be installed on the beach.

These restrictions have been introduced for the purpose of public safety.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution and maintain a safe clearance when transiting this area.



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